

Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

(I) Page 1, lines 4-19: please delete the paragraphs and substitute therefore with following paragraphs:

"The subject of the present invention is a new stable formulation in the form of sustained-release microgranules containing ~~Ginkgo-Biloba~~ Ginkgo biloba extract as well as the process for preparing it.

More precisely, the present invention relates to microgranules in the form of a core containing ~~Ginkgo-Biloba~~ Ginkgo biloba extract with at least one pharmaceutically acceptable excipient, an intermediate layer coating said core, and an outer layer, which enables sustained release of ~~Ginkgo-Biloba~~ Ginkgo biloba from the core.

~~Ginkgo-Biloba~~ Ginkgo biloba extract contains flavone glycosides (flavonoids), such as quercetin, kaemferol, isorhamnetin and terpenes (heterosides) such as Bilobadide, ginkgolide A, ginkgolide B, ginkgolide C, ginkgolide J."

(II) Page 2 lines ⁹4-22: please delete the paragraphs and substitute therefore with following paragraphs:

"The multiparticulate form of the invention makes it possible to obtain a stable and reproducible sustained release multiparticulate dosage form comprising ~~Ginkgo-Biloba~~ Ginkgo biloba extract, with the advantage of being stable during storage, particularly in accelerated storage conditions, defined in ICH as 40°C for temperature and 75% for relative humidity.

According to the present invention, the sustained release microgranules contain a ~~Ginkgo-Biloba~~ Ginkgo biloba extract, characterized by the release of total flavone glycosides having the following profile of dissolution rates, measured at 37. 0°C ± 0. 5°C, with a Dissolution Test Apparatus I (Basket method at 100 rpm, 900 mL of purified water, W Detection : 272 nm) :"

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